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 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - SAN JOSE DIVISION

11
 12 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No. 20-cv-00636-VKD

13 Plaintiff,

**FRCP RULE 41 STIPULATION FOR
 DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE AND
 ORDER THEREON**

14 *Ex. rel.*

15 JONATHAN FAULKNER,
 Re: Dkt. No. 69

16 Plaintiff-Relator.

17 v.

18 THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
 19 LELAND STANFORD JUNIOR
 UNIVERSITY,

20 Defendant.

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 22 **STIPULATION**

23 WHEREAS, Plaintiff-Relator JONATHAN FAULKNER ("Plaintiff-Relator"), wishes to
 24 dismiss this action with prejudice in exchange for a waiver of collectible costs by Defendant THE
 25 BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE LELAND STANFORD JUNIOR UNIVERSITY
 26 ("Defendant");

27 WHEREAS, Defendant is willing to accept said dismissal by Plaintiff-Relator with

1 prejudice and is willing to waive all costs in exchange;

2 WHEREAS, Plaintiff the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ("Plaintiff") has advised that
3 it will consent to the dismissal of Defendant so long as the dismissal is without prejudice as to
4 Plaintiff only;

5 WHEREAS, Defendant is willing to accept that said dismissal is without prejudice as to
6 Plaintiff only.

7 THEREFORE, IT IS STIPULATED by and between the parties hereto through their
8 respective counsel that pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 41(a) this matter be
9 dismissed pursuant to the terms outlined above and with permission of the Court.

10 Dated: February 2, 2025



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29 In accordance with Local Rule 5-4.3.4(a)(2)(i), I hereby attest that all of the
 30 signatories listed on this Stipulation, and on whose behalf this stipulation is
 31 submitted, concur in the Stipulation’s content and have authorized its filing.

32 s/ Kevin J. Grochow

ORDER

2 PURSUANT TO STIPULATION OF THE PARTIES AND GOOD CAUSE
3 APPEARING THEREFOR, IT IS ORDERED that the above-entitled action and Defendant
4 named in the First Amended Complaint on file herein is dismissed with prejudice as to Plaintiff-
5 Relator Jonathan Faulkner, and without prejudice as to Plaintiff the United States of America,
6 pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 41(a).

Dated: February 4, 2025

Virginia K. DeMarchi
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United States Magistrate Judge